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1. The attached table shows the total production in the Soviet Zone of Germany, exclusive of the Soviet AGs, for the month of November for the principal branches of industry. The figures in column 2 refer to production in factories of the publicly owned enterprises under direct control of the DWK, while column 3 gives the production in publicly owned enterprises below the zonal level.
2. The production figure is the actual total production, including contracted repair work. Processing work (Lohnaufträge) is not included, except in the food industry.
3. The production totals have been calculated in the same manner as in previous months. The monthly total for November is higher than that for October. There is a slight increase in each of the principal branches of industry.
4. The actual production of certain items is given below:

Product	Quantity (in tons)	Value in D marks (east)
Anthracite (Steinkohle)	256,180	6,915,300
Coke	19,400	640,500
Crude lignite	6,669,100	21,170,800
Lignite briquettes	1,561,080	21,227,400
Iron ore	43,200	645,000
Copper ore	58,600	2,321,000
Tungsten concentrate	7.7	61,500
Potash fertilizers	24,000	2,872,000
Pig iron (Maximilians-Hütte)	17,200	1,300,000
Foundry iron (Maximilians-Hütte)	5,300	588,000
Crude steel (Hennigsdorf)	6,300	627,000
Crude steel (Maximilians-Hütte)	13,200	1,374,000
Crude steel (Riesa)	5,900	593,200
Pig-iron casting and malleable iron casting	20,477	10,841,800
Steel mould casting	2,365	2,338,400
Rolling-mill products	18,172	2,598,500

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Total Production, exclusive of Soviet AGs, for the Principal Branches of Industry of the Russian Zone of Germany for November 1949. (The amounts are given in 1,000 marks.)

Branch of Industry	Total Production	Socialized Plants under DWK	Socialized Plants State Control	Private Plants
Mining, including coal	58,500	57,175	738	587
Metallurgy, including foundries	37,404	25,268	4,139	7,997
Machine construction	105,247	52,618	13,149	39,480
Heavy machinery	(28,105)	(15,199)	(3,484)	(9,422)
Ordinary and special machinery	(29,570)	(16,817)	(2,216)	(10,537)
Vehicles	(15,820)	(9,800)	(2,169)	(3,851)
Metal goods	(31,752)	(10,802)	(5,280)	(15,670)
Electrical equipment	27,728	14,138	4,444	9,146
Precision instruments and optics	12,066	5,565	2,011	4,490
Chemicals, including pharmaceutical prod., rubber, asbestos, liquid fuel	106,085	52,254	9,460	44,371
Building materials	48,720	13,120	11,886	22,814
Wood	59,890	8,535	6,026	45,329
Textiles, including felts	157,503	66,939	9,245	81,319
Light industry	85,867	17,969	8,358	59,540
Cellulose, paper	16,441	9,164	796	6,481
Power	30,525	17,449	7,183	5,893
Food, delicacies, soap and cosmetic industries	365,867	-	211,262	154,405
Total	1,111,843	340,194	288,697	482,952

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